SENATE BILL 2446

By Harris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 47, Chapter 18, relative to consumer protection.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-18-5104(a), is amended by adding the following language to the end of the subsection:

Any civil penalty assessed for a violation of this part, or any rule promulgated pursuant to this part, must be triple the amount that the civil penalty would be for an unfair or deceptive act or practice under § 47-18-104(a).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.